CLERK: Senator Wickersham voting yes. Senator Elmer voting yes. Senator Lindsay voting yes. Senator Cudaback voting yes. Senator Chambers voting yes.

SENATOR CROSBY: Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of LB 296.

SENATOR CROSBY: LB 296 advances to E & R Initial. I will remove the call. LB 77.

CLERK: Madam President, LB 77 introduced by Senator Pirsch. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred to Business and Labor, advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Abboud, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR ABBOUD: Yes, Madam President, colleagues, the amendment changes the definition. This amendment is technical in nature and changing the definition of temporary employee to clarify that the employee works for the temporary help firm. If you read through the language of the bill and read through the amendment, you will note that it was more of a grammatical change that the committee made in order to make it clear in the statute that this temporary employee actually works for the temporary help firm. So the amendment is technical in nature and I would urge the adoption of the amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CROSBY: Any discussion on the committee amendments to LB 77? No discussion on the committee amendments. Senator Abboud.

SENATOR ABBOUD: I'll waive closing.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Abboud waives closing. The question is the adoption of the committee amendments to LB 77. All those in favor vote aye, opposed no. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK 26 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the adoption of the committee amendments.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you. Senator Abboud, would you like to open on the bill?